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WHAT THE "DRY" BILL MEANS IN COLD CASH

Enactment into law of the "bone dry" bill has brought to the fore of public attention the vast amount involved in the liquor industries of the city, State and Nation. Following are figures based on the latest reports, in some instances the figures going back to 1917, because in 1918 Congress compelled a curtailment of distilling and brewing:

In round figures, the properties and stocks of the brewing industry in the United States are valued at almost \$800,000,000.

There are 1,200 breweries in the country, of which 41 are in New York City. The 1,200 employ 75,000. The 41 New York City plants embrace 5,000 employees.

There are now 6,777 saloons in this city, with about 30,000 employees.

The property values of New York breweries and saloons are estimated by the New York State Brewers' Association at \$300,000,000.

In the last fiscal year the liquor traffic of the country returned \$440,000,000 to the Federal Government in revenue taxes.

According to the Distillers' Securities Corporation there are in the country 85,000,000 gallons of whiskey in bond. Retailers hold 15,000,000 gallons. Wholesalers have 5,000,000 gallons for "spot" delivery. Normal consumption was 140,000,000 gallons a year.

Importation of distilled liquors for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, amounted to 3,115,483 gallons.

Production of beer in that period was 60,729,509 barrels.

WORTHY OF THEIR HIRE!

Roger Ascham, in "The Schoolmaster," said a long time ago that men were far readier to spend money on the training of their horses than on the teaching of their children. It did not require the mass-meeting to tell us that the pay of the teachers of Philadelphia and Pennsylvania is, shamefully inadequate. We have prated much about the inspiring privilege of molding young minds, and so shaping the destiny of this country for all future days. But it would be more to the point if we made up our minds that, instead of appointing a lot of worthless political hangers-on to a lot of worthless but lucrative jobs, we would do the square thing by the army of honest and faithful employees of the school system. They are worth any number of the ringers and heelers of the gang. They are far more deserving of reward than those who sit at the top of the pyramid of profitable contracts and the corruption of bossism, twiddling their thumbs at the public and sneering, "Well, what do you propose to do about it?"

The hour has struck to secure equity for those who, as matters stand at present, are the victims (often the helpless and inarticulate victims) of a gross injustice. The effort will not end with the formulation of protests and resolutions. It will go to the springs of action and the fountain-head of authority in the Legislature to bring about the change for which the circumstances are crying aloud.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

DID THE SAME THING IN THIS WAR

Pennsylvania sent into the service in the course of the Civil War 368,323 soldiers.

The population of the State in 1860 was 2,936,115.

The proportion of enrolled soldiers to the population was as 1 to 7.92. Pennsylvania, therefore sent to the war a higher proportion of her population than New York, where the figures were 1 to 8.45.

THE PATRIOTIC CHRISTMAS GIFT

War Savings Stamps furnish the Government money necessary now to keep our Armies in Germany and to bring them back safely.

As an investment they are absolutely safe.

As Christmas Gifts to your loved ones they are most appropriate.

This Christmas, give the patriotic gift, WAR SAVINGS STAMPS. They cost \$4.25 each.

The County National Bank

OF CLEARFIELD

The Oldest Bank in Clearfield County



ECONOMY IMPERATIVE FOR HARD COAL USERS SINCE INFLUENZA CUT DOWN ANTHRACITE SUPPLY

United States Fuel Administration Urges All Possible Conservation of Coal on Hand and General Use of Buckwheat Size and Wood.

The United States Fuel Administration calls upon all users of anthracite coal for the utmost conservation of coal this winter.

Where a hundred per cent. supply had been anticipated for every user of hard coal as a domestic fuel, a grave slump in production because of the effects of the influenza epidemic has made it apparent that the most extreme economy, coupled with the use of all available substitutes, will be necessary to prevent discomfort to a large number of householders.

Householders in the Middle West, hitherto accustomed to the use of anthracite coal, were placed on reduced allotments of hard coal this winter in order that the northeastern section of the country might have its customary full supply.

With distribution facilitated through the working of the zone system, the amount of hard coal available appeared to be more than ample for requirements. The anthracite miners had maintained a steady level of production during summer and fall months which seemed to provide a conservative basis for estimates.

A tremendous slump in production followed the sweep of the influenza epidemic, however. Hundreds of miners fell ill from the disease, and of those who recovered few were able to reach their former efficiency within several weeks.

The "tons mined" figures, after a slight upward trend from the worst of the "flu" effects, fell again when the miners joined hands with the rest of the country in the two celebrations of the signing of the armistice.

Between the two causes, the total anthracite production figures received

a blow which will require the most extreme efforts of all available anthracite miners to remedy. Even before the signing of the armistice the Fuel Administration was obtaining the full amount of anthracite miners from the army to as great an extent as possible in order to meet the situation.

Few consumers have sufficient anthracite coal to last them through the entire winter. If you are one of those fortunate it is incumbent upon you to make the supply in your cellar go as many months as possible in order that less well supplied households will not have to do without.

Aside from the most extreme economy in the use of domestic sizes of anthracite coal, the Fuel Administration urges the following measures:

The use of No. 1 Buckwheat coal to supplement the larger sizes. (Buckwheat size cannot be used alone.)

The use of wood to as great an extent as possible.

The sifting of ashes to reclaim the considerable amount of half-burned or entirely unburned coal falling through grates.

Weather stripping of doors and windows so that less fuel will be required for heating.

"Cut-a-Cord" Clubs Give Winter Days Zest, Make Happy Evenings

Likewise Save Coal and Money, U. S. Food Administration Shows, in Urging All Possible Use of Wood Fuel.

Who would not rather spend an evening before a snapping wood fire in an open grate or fireplace than before a drowsy coal fire?

And who could ask a better excuse for a winter holiday than to go into the woods and get the echoes ringing and the chips flying by felling trees for such firewood?

These are the two chief appeals in the campaign now being launched by the United States Fuel Administration to bring about a considerable use of wood to replace coal in states where domestic fuel is scarce. Of course, if you cut wood you do not have to buy coal and if you have wood piled up you will not worry over a coal shortage, such as is possible through the "flu" having cut down the production of anthracite coal.

New England, in particular, has much wood available within easy reach of large centers of population. The "Cut-a-Cord" Club of Belmont, six miles from Boston, was one of many similar organizations which proved co-belligerent for wholesome days of outdoor sport and happy social evenings.

The Forestry Service will cooperate with the Fuel Administration, through state administrators, this winter in locating available supplies of standing timber and seeing that trees more valuable for other purposes will not be felled for firewood.

If there is not a "Cut-a-Cord" club in your community, why not organize one?

Here are some woodmen's proverbs from the Forestry Service:

A cord of hardwood has a fuel value equal to two-thirds of a ton of hard coal.

Stumps should be cut as low as possible to avoid waste and save future trouble.

All wood large enough to be made into stove wood should be used. Split wood small enough so that one man can load it on a wagon.

Pine should be split smaller than hardwood so that it may dry out quickly. Hardwood burns fairly well even when green.

In cutting original growth forests, utilize old trees which are not fit for lumber.

Cut small trees of the poorer species. Cut all dead, diseased, and decayed, and otherwise inferior material.

The wood for will be the better for the removal of old trees which have stopped making growth, and of scarred trees and stunted growths.

Leave trees that are more valuable for lumber, ties, or other salable products than they are for cordwood.

Leave your thimble trees of the better species below 10 inches in diameter for the future crop.

Pile wood so that air can circulate freely through the pile.

USE OF BUCKWHEAT COAL WILL HELP RELIEVE ANTHRACITE SHORTAGE

United States Fuel Administration Urges Liberal Use of Smaller Size of Hard Coal, Which Cost Consumer Less.

As a most effective means of supplementing the supply of regular domestic sizes of anthracite coal, the United States Fuel Administration recommends the use of the No. 1 size of Buckwheat anthracite. Buckwheat size is fairly plentiful, while regular sizes are scarce, and the ordinary furnace will burn either size of fuel with 25 per cent. Buckwheat and 75 per cent. larger sizes.

It is important that it also be used by wood.

Here are some tips worked out by heating experts for the use of Buckwheat coal:

If there is a good fire, put large coal on first and then add a top dressing of No. 1 Buckwheat.

If the fire is small, add a small amount of Buckwheat first and, after a few minutes, add the large coal and then the top dressing of Buckwheat.

If the furnace has not had sufficient draft to produce satisfactory results, the fire should be used with only a few inches of No. 1 Buckwheat.

The use of Buckwheat coal will help to conserve the regular anthracite supply and will also save the consumer money.

BUY U. S. S. AND THRIFT STAMPS TODAY AND

WELCOME HOME

By Charles Driscoll
You have done the job up brown.
And your little old home town
Is waiting with its arms flung open wide,
And the town and all therein
We will give you with a grin,
Our boys, by heroism glorified!

There's a corner in our heart
Set forevermore apart
For the boys who faced the Hun at Belleau Wood.
Who like old Gibraltar's rock
Against the foe's terrific shock,
Before the gates of Paris nobly stood!

Welcome home, crusaders bold!
Tell the story, never old.
How you turned the tide of battle Over There;
And although we cannot tell
How our hearts within us swell,
You may guess it by the way we stand and stare!

NAVY COST IS SHOWN

Washington, Dec. 11.—Four hundred per cent. increase in expenditures for the fiscal year just past, as compared to the fiscal year 1916, are cited by Rear Admiral Taylor, chief naval constructor in his annual report today as a concrete illustration of his bureau's war work.

About \$157,500,000 was expended. Taylor presented estimates of \$158,985,000 for "increase of navy" for the fiscal year 1920 under his department. This covers continuance of work on vessels already authorized by congress.

His report showed vast work done on destroyers naval aircraft, and other naval craft during the last year.

THREE MORE ILLEGAL DEER

Three doe deer illegally killed in the Mosquito creek or "Big Knob" country were brought to Clearfield last evening on the River line New York Central train.

Two of the illegal deer were consigned to the Clearfield hospital and the third one went to the Children's Home.

The deer were shipped to Clearfield by State Game Protectors Lewis and Dale and it is hoped that the guilty hunters were made to settle for their law-breaking in each case.

Butcher Walter Fargo prepared the carcasses for the institutions to which they were consigned.

CROOKED RUN GOT TWO BUCKS

The Crooked Run boys had two fine bucks hanging at their camp Saturday evening as trophies of last week's hunt.

The View Point hunters pulled one over one fine big spike buck in the red brush immediately back of the camp yesterday afternoon.

Demanders of the Ontario "farmers" for the next season will include the nine-hour day, an increase of the hour rate to 20 cents, a minimum of \$1 for rainy days, and time and a half for over-time.

Twenty thousand French girls sang "The Star-Spangled Banner" in Brest while that French city was riotously celebrating the signing of the armistice.

Save anthracite.
Save anthracite. Clean it out and use it.
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Rubbers! Rubbers!

For Men, Women and Children

For Men, Women, and Children

Ill health is often traceable to wet feet, and there never was a time when one needed greater protection than now. Good rubbers give you protection and if bought here now you are also assured of another important protection—against imperfect rubbers.

You may be able to buy rubbers at a lower price than you will pay for them here. But you're getting a cheaper rubber—just as much difference between first and second grade rubbers as between day and night.

We have shapes for all lasts of shoes, and the various heel heights for high, medium and low heels.

Another thing—were just as particular in rubber fitting as we are in fitting shoes.

Lytle Bros.

Market St. Opposite Court House, Clearfield, Pa.

GREAT PLAY "MOTHER" A DRIGGS TONIGHT

Perhaps no greater production from a dramatic point of view has ever been seen in Clearfield than William A. Brady's glorious success Mother which the Manhattan players will produce tonight with Miss Winnie Wimer in the splendid role originated by no less an artist than Miss Emma Dunn. Mother is the sort of play that recalls the happiest times in human experience. It is filled with reference to those innumerable tokens of love and affection we all have known. At great expense manager Paul Hillis has secured the rights to present the play for the first time at popular prices at Driggs theatre tonight. New vaudeville will be seen between the acts. Tomorrow night the Manhattan will appear in the newest comedy, by the companion play to Peg O' My Heart entitled Pretty Peggy O'Moore. In this play little Pearly Young, Glenn Coulter and their associates will be at their very best. Tonight and tomorrow night are full of genuine treats for the patrons of Clearfield's perfect playhouse.

NOTICE

Mrs. K. Barger will close out her entire stock of millinery at cost consisting of trimmed and untrimmed hats, feathers, flowers and other trimmings. A lot of untrimmed frames at a dollar. D11-3t

NOTICE

The Salvation Army is as usual making arrangements to give out Christmas baskets and clothing to those in need. If you are in need or know of anyone that is please write or see Captain E. J. Perkins, Box 404 or 108 Turnpike avenue. All applications should be in as soon as possible. B41f

NO. 1 FIRE COMPANY MEETING TONIGHT

The regular meeting of Clearfield Fire company No. 1 will be held in their hall on Market street at 8 o'clock this evening. Election of officers and a smoker will be the program. All members should attend.

S. B. SMITH, Secretary

I saw it in The Progress.

Years of Experience Plus Reliable Insurance
Helmhold & Stewart
Bargain Block

Typewriter Bargain

A new Model Ten Remington Standard typewriter with all the modern improvements, that has been used only a few months, for sale at a special price if taken at once.

This is the only time this ad will appear so if you want the machine here or white NOW to

HARRY E. MANN
Clearfield, Pa.

\$4600.00

WANTED

[Statement of Business and Work Done

By CLEARFIELD HOSPITAL for year ending May 31, 1918

Average number of patients daily	62
Average cost per patient per day	\$2.74
Total Expenses for year	\$45,260.02
Total Receipts from all sources including Donations	42,000.75

Balance Deficit	\$3,259.27
Balance shown May 31, 1918	1,955.00

Balance still short \$1,304.27
The deficit for the year ending May 31st, 1918, will be approximately the same as last year, viz—about \$2,900.00.

To keep the Hospital running in good shape the Board of Directors are therefore asking the people of this community to contribute the sum of \$4600.00. This sum will also provide for some necessary improvements.

A. B. REED,
A. W. BIGLER,
Deficit Committee.

Classified Ads For Everybody

HELP WANTED

GOVERNMENT CLERK EXAMINATIONS—Pennsylvania soon. Customs, Internal revenue, income tax, railway mail, postoffice. \$1,100-\$1,800. Experience unnecessary. Men and women desiring government positions write for free particulars, J. C. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner) 634 Kenosia building, Washington. D-6-7tp

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply at residence of Mrs. Wm. Patterson, Front street. D-6-7tp

BOY WANTED—To learn the baking trade. Apply Schmitt's bakery, Noyce. D-6-7tp

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—A competent and reliable housekeeper wanted for family of two adults. Farm location near Kermoor. Steady employment. No objection to woman with one child. Good home and good wages. Apply R. S. T. cure Progress. D-6-7tp

GIRLS WANTED—At the Park House, Curwensville. Good wages will be paid to reliable girls. D-6-7tp

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire at this office or call 178x3. D-6-7tp

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No washing. Good wages. Inquire at Mirkin's store. D-6-7tp

WANTED—A dining room girl at the Leonard House. D-6-7tp

WANTED—By a coal company, a mine foreman or superintendent, for an operation in Clearfield county that has been going for a year. Address giving experience references, etc. Box 343, Clearfield, Pa. D-6-7tp

WANTED—Two kitchen girls at the Clearfield hospital. D-6-7tp

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A Woodstock No. 4 typewriter in excellent condition—as good as new. Has been used only a short time. Mrs. G. V. DeWalt 903 Daisy street. D-6-7tp

FOR SALE—Two steam radiators. Change in heating system places these on the market at a very low price. James Cross, the Market street barber. D-6-7tp

COAL—Good custom coal. Prompt delivery, 14c per bushel. Lucas & Zeigler. Call 285-2. D-6-7tp

FOR SALE—Good custom coal. B. B. Lucas. Call 185x2. D-6-7tp

MULES FOR SALE—Two young mine mules in splendid condition. Together or separately. Will make good outside team. Can be seen at Wallace mine, O'Shanter. Apply to Superintendent or address L. H. Hood, Seneca Falls, N. Y. D-6-7tp

COW FOR SALE—Four years old. Will milk all winter. Fresh in June. Inquire of Wm. Neidrick Glen Richey, Pa. D-6-7tp

WANTED

WANTED—A renter for a farm of 185 acres. Two miles from Clearfield in Pine Grove district. Excellent opportunity for a man who can furnish farm implements. Possession given soon. J. L. McNaull, Curwensville. D-6-7tp

WANTED—LOGS especially cherry and ash. Write Warren Ross Lumber Co., Jamestown, N. Y. D-6-7tp

WANTED—Pleasant furnished room with board and all home privileges for two young ladies. Rates reasonable. Call Progress office. D-6-7tp

FOUND

FOUND—A 1918 auto license tag number 204962. Found on Second street. Owner can have same by calling on Albert Derrick, Clearfield, Pa. D-6-7tp

FOR RENT

ROOMS TO RENT—Three rooms suitable for sleeping are for rent at 10c per week. D-6-7tp

TODAY'S CASUALTIES

(Continued from Page Three)

John H. Dettra, Kulpsville.
Frank A. Eys, Philadelphia.
Louis Lavin, Philadelphia.
Clyde J. Marks, Jersey Shore.
Timothy A. Reardon, Philadelphia.
Warren S. Trivelp, Reading.
Stanley Brodzinski, Glen Lyon.
John H. Carter, Osceola.
Edward Ward, Westville.
Sylvester A. Fry, Lewistown.
William J. Gorski, Latrobe.
Charles R. Hornish, Pittsburgh.
Christ E. Kiefer, Philadelphia.
Alfred A. Crawford, Burman.
Harry W. Cross, Philadelphia.
William Harris, Peckville.
Charles S. Kirschman, Philadelphia.
Stephen Rapaski, Warrior Run.
John W. Hartman, Gettysburg.
Harry Heinenman, St. Clair Boro.
Frank Parente, Norristown.
Alexandro Pietrangolo, Philadelphia.
Michael Thomas, Lost Creek No. 2.
Michael Levitsky, Pittston.
Oscar Long, Johnstown.
Martin J. Milowski, Pittsburgh.
John S. Walker, Mount Leflore.
William Wallace, Philadelphia.
Floyd E. Werts, Westport.
Giuseppe Guglietta, Philadelphia.
Peter Kochuba, Wilkes-Barre.
Edward Kotkisky, Lakesville.
Michael Lakosky, Frazeville.

Edward T. Sheppard, Tolareto.
Sherman R. Siler, York.
Ottomar H. Ulrich, Erie.
James D. Barry, Philadelphia.
Leon Bigelow, Philadelphia.
Loreto Dimeo, Philadelphia.
Wharton Drummheller, Pine Forge.
William H. Brennan, Jessup.
William J. B. Adler, Glassport.
Jos. E. Frazier, McKees Rocks.
Wounded (Degree Undetermined)
Sergeants
Peter F. Malloy, Leesville.
Clarence L. Hendrickson, Lancaster.
John F. Conrad, Philadelphia.
Daniel M. Wolfgang, Maryland.
Privates
Archie B. Chambers, New Brighton.
John C. Coates, Bridgeport.
Michael Coupe, Germantown.
William Ceyrolles, Imperial.
Francesco Fato, North Braddock.
George A. Gerlach, West Philadelphia.
William A. Gilmartin, Philadelphia.
Fred H. Gleichman, Danmore.
John H. Heffner, Park.
Michael B. McCabe, Shamokin.
William Russell, Hallstead.
Eugene T. Strait, Matamoras.
George Y. Vogel, Allentown.
William Wmarnier, Coatesville.
Frank A. Weber, New Brighton.
William R. Baker, Haverhill.
Dight V. Balch, Westfield.
Edward Fitzgerald, Philadelphia.
Edwin F. Ploeger, Carlsick.
Steve Juvenia, Springfield.

Frederick M. Kollra, Scranton.
Charles Alexton, Media.
Philip Longo, Scranton.
William A. Love, Philadelphia.
William J. Madison, Philadelphia.
Salvatore Zofrea, Shamokin.
Wounded Slightly
Sergeants
Elmer A. Jones, Plymouth.
George H. List, Pittsburgh.
Corporals
Frank S. Follmer, Winfield.
George G. Gerhart, Peckville.
Parker R. Miller, Daville.
Privates
Earnest V. Searley, Lilly.
Alfred L. Turner, Philadelphia.
Charles J. Bauer, Philadelphia.
John Reemer, Scranton.
Eugene T. Cunningham, Densmore.
Samuel A. Gaydall, Pittsburgh.
Addison L. Holmes, Holmes.
Carl A. Holstrom, Pittsburgh.
Fred W. Jones, Hazleton.
William Kramer, Pittsburgh.
Quay E. Miller, Pittsburgh.
John Mink, Nesquehoning.
Charles Myers, Philadelphia.
Cleon W. Beterman, Jarrison City.
Lawson Peters, Kitzminger.
Missing in Action
Sergeant
Craig C. Hill, Greensburg.
Corporals
Raymond E. McClellan, Conynville.
Carmen Most, Moccasin.
William H. Charles, Juniata.
James A. Jordan, Scranton.
Benjamin A. Zissa, Steube.
Privates
Wilbert J. Long, Mount Pleasant.
Quinto Marchetti, Pittsburgh.
William Matsavage, Eschertown.
Fred LU. Monaghan, Shaft.
Frank Prizodryga, Erie.
Amos Aultman, Greensburg.
Charles J. Daly, Philadelphia.
Ira M. Frankfield, Gopersburg.
Myer Barankin, Shaft.
Angelo Vavalano, Chester.
Jacob Dehnman, Philadelphia.
Giuseppe Diello, Kane.
Raymond Dissinger, Auburn.
Conrad Eggenberger, Greeley.
John J. Hurley, Philadelphia.
George S. Johnson, Lancaster.
Spedy W. McCurdy, Indiana.
John McGinley, Pittsburgh.
Albert I. Simon, Philadelphia.

"CHIN CHIN" AT DRIGGS THEATRE MONDAY DEC. 10th

A young lady presented her card at the box office and requested two passes for "Chin Chin." "I'm entitled to them," she explained, "because I am a walking advertisement for the show. I am wearing 'Chin Chin' hats, 'Chin Chin' collars and cuffs, a 'Chin Chin' suit and 'Chin Chin' boots and gloves." "Sorry, madam," declared the hard-hearted ticket seller from the production of his cage, "but there are sixty walking advertisements for 'Chin Chin' with the company."

NO CLEARFIELD HUNTER GUILTY

It is to the everlasting credit of Clearfield hunters to be able to say that since the buck law went into effect not a single local deer hunter has been called upon to settle for the killing of an illegal deer.

The majority of doe shooters are fellows unaccustomed to the woods who shoot at every deer which comes along and looks for horns after the deer drops, providing he succeeds in hitting it. These novices are responsible for the killing of eight out of ten does killed yearly, while the other two are wantonly slaughtered by pot hunters or the reckless devil who doesn't care and violates the law just because the opportunity presents itself.

DANIEL R. LAUFER WOUNDED

William Laufer, of Ridge Road, received the following telegram from the war department:

Deeply regret to inform you that it is officially reported that Private Daniel R. Laufer Machine Gun Battalion was wounded in action degree undetermined about October 1, further information when received.

HARRIS.

Adjutant General



Just what everybody wants for Christmas and here is the place for them.

We have just received a new line of Christmas slippers. Come in and see them.



Ladies' Slippers

in a Juliet style, felt with fur trimmed tops or ribbon, leather sole and heel. The colors are grey, brown, green, wine, maroon and red. Price \$1.48.

COMFY SLIPPERS

in light blue, lavender and old rose. Price \$1.69.

Boudoirs in pink, red, tan and black. Price \$1.75.

Felt oxfords in grey at 69c.

Juliet's in vici kid. Price \$2.48.

Girls' felt slippers in a Juliet style. They come in red and green. Sizes 11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20. Price \$1.19.

Children's slippers come in red, green and navy blue. Price \$1.00.

Baby's Comys in light blue and red. Price 75c.

Men's Slippers

in a black felt Romeo style, with leather sole and heel. Price \$1.18.

Comfy Style

with soft soles in brown and wine colors. Price \$1.69.

Numerous other styles in a comfortable and practical slipper. Prices 75c to \$1.19.

Vici kid slippers in black or tan, patent trim or plain. Prices \$1.00, \$1.18, \$1.59, \$1.98.

Romey style in black or tan. Prices \$1.75, \$1.98, \$2.98.

Boys' slippers in a khaki color or grey. Prices 85c, \$1.19.

ALWAYS THE MOST VALUE FOR YOUR MONEY AT

Brown's Boot Shop

Punxsutawney

CLEARFIELD

Indiana

DuBois

STOCK MARKET IRREGULAR

New York, Dec. 10.—Prices were generally irregular today at the opening of the stock market. There was little trading activity in the opening session. United States Steel opened at 99 off 4. General motors 129 up 1. Southern Pacific 103 1/2 off 1/2. Reading 85 1/2 up 1/2. Bethlehem Steel B. 39 up 3/8.

The Question Of The Hour

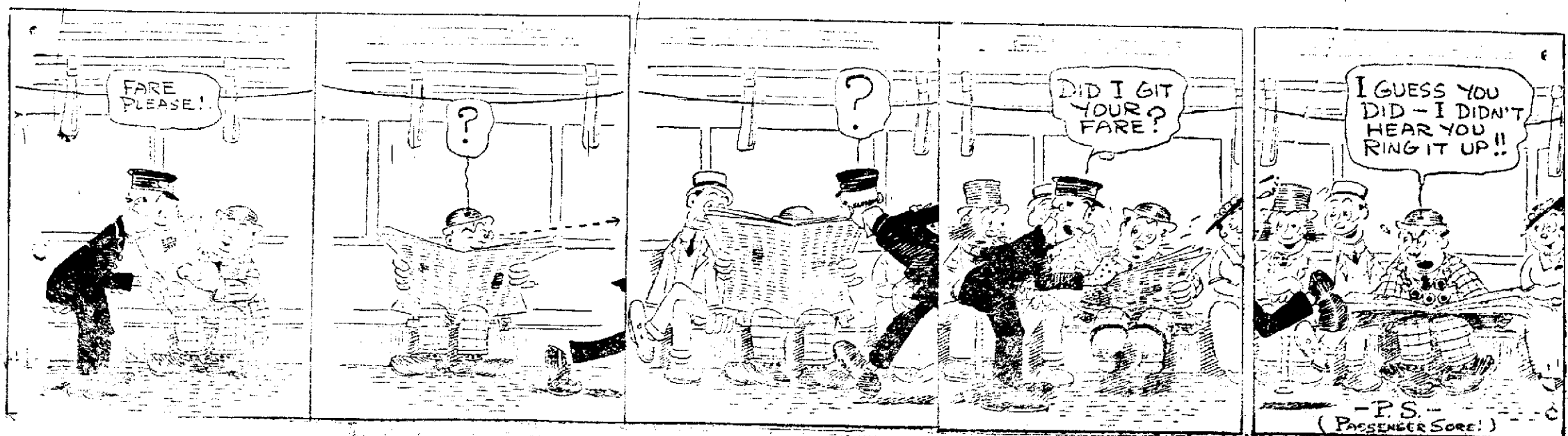
"What shall I buy for Christmas?" can be answered from our unusually wide assortments of gift things bought with an idea of helping puzzled folks to make selections that run an exceptionally wide range of pocketbook limits.

Then, too, we'll gladly assist you in making such selections.

HOWE'S

Jeweler and Optician

IF YOU COULDN'T GET A CAR ON TALL TREES AVE.—BLAME IT ON MR. T. WAD



BY GALE.



Uncle Sam says:
"Give Useful Gifts"

THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

To that boy of yours give something "REAL". He's no longer in the toy age. He wants something to use out of doors. A bicycle, skates, a rifle, something that suggests the heroes he's reading about at school. Or something that will give a chance for him to develop that building instinct which comes to every lad.

Above all in these days when waste is crime, give him something that has a USE.

Wm. F. Powell

Santa Claus Headquarters

We did not anticipate a dull Christmas. We bought early, and take pleasure in offering you pretty and useful gifts, appropriate gifts, gifts that will please. We could enumerate many suggestions here, from our line, but will invite you to call.

If "Fountain Pen" is on your list, we sell guaranteed makes, Waterman, Conklin, and Parker.

You may want a "Kodak"; there is only one, the "Eastman". We sell it. Brownies, also for the children.

Nice assortment dolls, toys and books for the little folks.

We represent all periodicals and magazines and can quote best club rates. We solicit your business. Phone us. Don't forget the place.

T. & R. K. WAY
CURWENSVILLE, PA.

DECATUR TOWNSHIP BOY KILLED

Andrew Snotzker, of Troy, was killed in action on October 4th, according to an official telegram from the war department, received by his mother Mrs. John Fetszinko.

COLDS
Head or chest—
are best treated
externally—
VICKS VAPORUB
NEW PRICES—30c, 60c, \$1.20

The Best Christmas Gift

Subscriptions to good magazines especially such patriotic, helpful periodicals as:

THE LADIES HOME JOURNAL
THE SATURDAY EVENING POST
THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN
WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION
THE AMERICAN MAGAZINE
THE PICTORIAL REVIEW

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Authorized Subscription Representative

CLEARFIELD COUNTY BOYS WOUNDED

Paul Reid, a well known Winburne young man, was severely wounded in France November 6th, according to a telegram just received from the war department by his father Andrew Reid, N. Y. C. section foreman at Winburne.

Mrs. Howard Ball, of Munson, was advised by the war department that her son Howard, aged 21 was wounded in France during one of the latest big drives of Pershing's army.

I saw it in The Progress.

BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work. People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gently but firmly on the bowels and liver, stimulating them to natural action, clearing the blood and gently purifying the entire system. They do that which dangerous calomel does without any of the bad after effects.

All the benefits of nasty, sickening, gripping cathartics are derived from Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets without gripping pain or any disagreeable effects.

Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the formula after seventeen years of practice among patients afflicted with bowels and liver complaint, with the attendant bad breath.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are purely a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two every night for a week and note the effect.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

The Progress man is in receipt of a military book by Lieutenant Colonel William Ganoe entitled "The English of Military Communications." Although not a military expert the Progress man can readily see that the book is one of considerable value to military men and contains much lore that is not taught in the military schools of this country. The language and text of the readings and forms contained in the book's pages, demonstrate clearly that the author has given much time and deep thought to his subjects, and the army in the field today has adopted a number of the book's forms. Mr. Ganoe is a modest soldier and takes great pride in being perfect in his profession. A military writer of some note once said "Soldiers are born and not made to order," and Mr. Ganoe certainly belongs in the first class, as his military record will show. It is only a few years since his graduation at West Point as a second lieutenant, and since that time has advanced step by step until he now wears the insignia straps of a full fledged lieutenant colonel in the regular army, which is equal in rank to that of a colonel in the volunteer service. At the present time Col. Ganoe is on duty at the military academy at West Point occupying the position of Assistant Professor of English. Curwensville people have a little more than usual interest in this young soldier, who is making for himself a military name in the army of the U. S., from the fact that he is wedded to a Curwensville girl, Nora Russell, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Russell and will watch his advancement with pleasure.

Political rivalry between the two old parties shortly after the closing of the Civil war, produced some funny incidents as well as some bloody ones. The writer remembers one in particular in which the Republicans outwitted the stalwart sons of the old Jacksonian Democracy. It was customary in those days, after the nominations for President had been made, to plant two immense tall poles, one on each side of the street, and swing banners across the road announcing the names of the candidates. Each party always strove to plant their poles in the centre of the town and at the most conspicuous corners. This time of which we speak, the Republicans had gotten everything in readiness to stretch their "Grant and Colfax" banners. The poles had been planted, one opposite where Mr. LaPorte had his carriage manufactory, and the other one opposite the McNaull tannery. On these occasions people came from far and near and "mince pie juice" flowed freely among the representatives of both parties. On this particular occasion political feeling ran high and Democrats determined that the "Grant and Colfax" banners should not float. There being no brass bands nearer than Tyrone or Bellefonte, drum corps was utilized for music, and "Brindle" Bill Bloom was about the only flier in these parts that could be obtained to pipe on that particular and difficult instrument and was sought after whenever there was any lifting to be done; he being of Democratic proclivities that party always had the first whack at his services.

The day before this flag or hunting raising was to take place a lot of hot heads from Democratic ranks made up their minds that if "Grant and Colfax" were hung over the street, the ceremonies would be done without "Brindle" lending his aid to entice the occasion and adding a political speech to Curwensville history.

During the forenoon of the day when the proceedings were to take place they secured the person of the music director and spirited him away to a hiding place which had already been selected for the purpose. When the time arrived for the program to start, no "Brindle" could be found and search was made for him in all of his old haunts, but no "Brindle" and the sheepskin practitioners refused to play saying that it was unprofessional to beat the drums under a life.

Now here is where John Minnick steps in and covers him with all of the glory of a modern Calumet. Some one had discovered that he could play a tune on an Eb cornet. The Republican committee on music heard about him and saw a way out of their dilemma and at the same time to get over on the Democratic side, and had even there so much to do with the arrangement.

"Grant and Colfax" would be hung in midair. During the whole march Minnick greeted people on both sides of the street with "The Girl I Love Behind Me" and as two thirds of the populace had never had the pleasure of hearing a cornet before, every minute to see the thing was wide open and during the march was dared to fly in defiance of the Democratic party and make music for the Black Abolitionists.

THE FLU IN COOPER TOWNSHIP

Cooper township is experiencing a severe visitation from the flu just now and a number of deaths have resulted the past few days.

Mrs. Lakin, wife of Postmaster Lakin at Grant, died at the emergency hospital at Grant-McMurray on Monday last evening. She was 65 years of age. John H. Kinney died at his home at Winburne Monday night, after a long illness and recent decline.

Frederick Jackson, 11 years of age, died last evening. He was killed by his widow and her children.

THE FLU IN CLEARFIELD

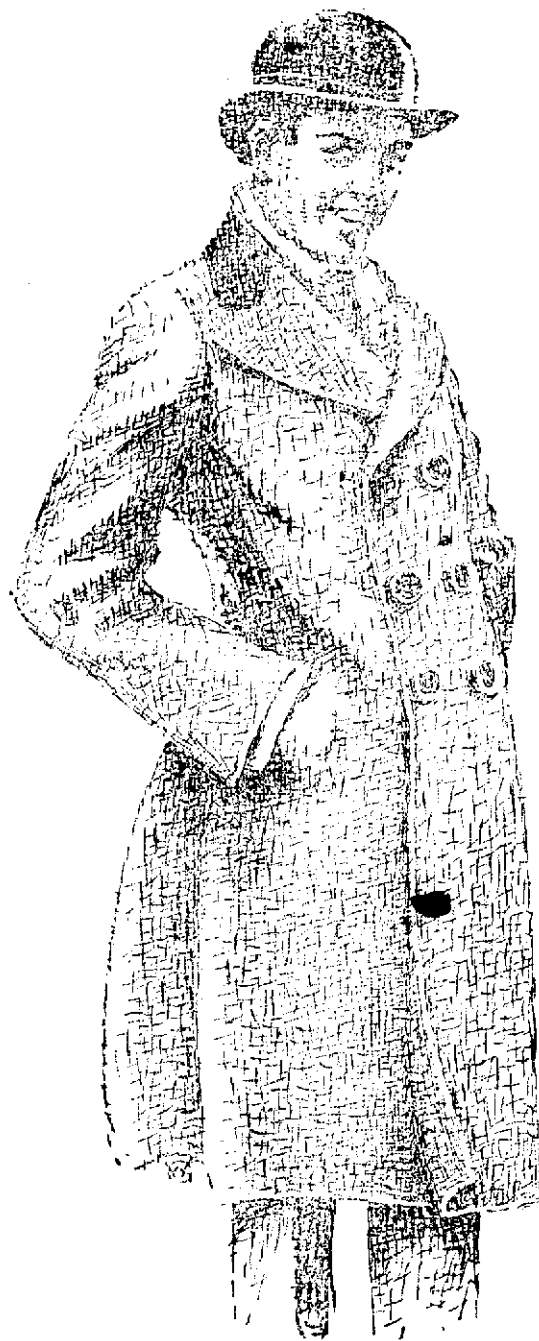
There were thirty new cases of influenza reported at Clearfield yesterday.

Two new nations were admitted to the emergency hospital at Clearfield yesterday, making a total of 21 patients at that institution.

Edna, wife of the Postmaster at Grant, is the only person at that place who has been present at the hospital recently.

DAVID HEDDERLY, 18 years of age, died at his home at Clearfield Monday night, after a long illness and recent decline. He was 18 years of age. He was killed by his widow and her children.

Christmas 1918



We are fully prepared to meet the wave of practical buying of Christmas gifts that has swept the country in such an unprecedented fashion.

Anticipating just such a condition as this we planned and prepared far advance of the season. This foresight of ours has made it easy for you so select your gifts from the generous collection of practical things found here on counter, shelf and rack.

We can recommend any of these gift things with the fullest knowledge that in helping you make the selections you will be giving something that will please and something that will have a value beyond the mere idea of making a present.

We have been helping puzzled folks to make selections for many years and this service is yours to command.

Louis Shapiro.

JUNIATA COLLEGE NOTES

The date of the opening of the Second Semester has been changed to February 10.

The Bible term will open next Monday and continue through the 20th. Among the speakers and lecturers for the session may be named Charles G. Trumbull editor of the Sunday School Times; W. G. Landes, Sunday School Secretary of Pennsylvania; Homer Bright, Missionary to Liao, pastor at Shippensburg; Rev. P. J. Blough, Elder of the Hooversville Congregation; Henry Gibbel, trustee of the college; Rev. J. H. Cassady, evangelist and secretary of the Juniata College Extension society; W. J. Swigart, trustee and professor of Juniata College; Dr. T. T. Myers, professor of New Testament Exegesis and Rev. Galen B. Royer, chair of missions, Juniata College.

WILL WINTER AT PINEBURST, N. C.

H. B. Swoope, the Madera coal operator, will spend the winter at Pinehurst N. C., as is his custom. He installed his family in their winter home last week.

BROTHER KILLED IN ACTION

Mrs. Frank Cimo, of Third street, was advised last Saturday by the war department that her brother, Frank Pusateri, who enlisted in the regular army at Buffalo, had been killed in action, September 15th. Young Pusateri was first wounded on August 27th and was able to return to duty on Sept. 10th. He met his fate just five days later.

I saw it in The Progress.

Shop Early

Now is the time for Christmas shopping. While stocks are fresh you have a better selection, and you can shop in comfort.

Our Christmas goods combine beauty with utility. Let us show you.

As a patriotic duty, shop early; early in the month, early in the week, early in the day.

Clearfield Hardware Co.

125 Market St

Clearfield, Pa.

LEONARDSON'S

A Genuine Surprise Sale of Women's New Winter Coats

At 25 Per Cent. Less Than
Regular---Thursday, Friday
And Saturday

SPECIAL NOTICE New Store Hours During the Holidays

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 14th, this store will open at 8:30 A. M. and close at 6 P. M. every evening except Saturday. Close Saturday at 9 P. M.

Kindly do your Christmas shopping early and do it in the morning.

Sani-Dry-Shake FOR SALT and PEPPER

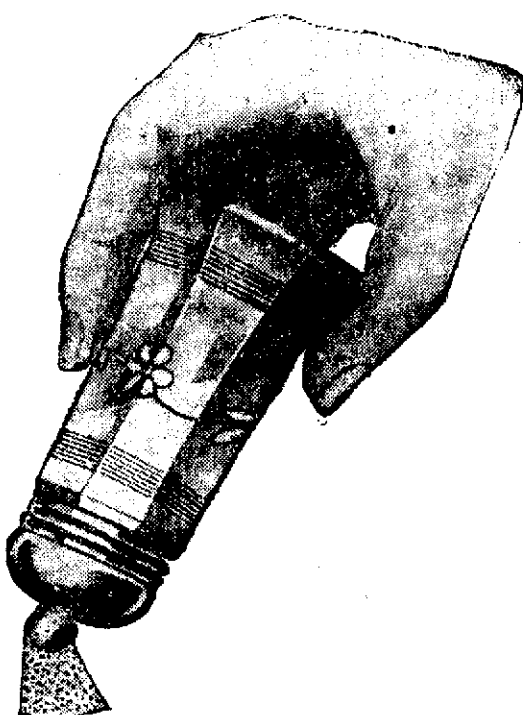
That little button keeps pure salt clean, dry and free sifting in damp weather. Does away with adulterated, tasteless, high-priced salt. Avoids vexation and waste. Opens only when inverted. Automatic. Always closed when not in actual use. Prevents clogging.

A THING OF BEAUTY AND A JOY FOREVER

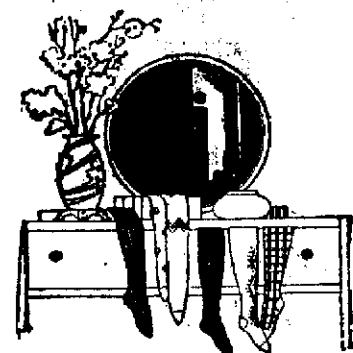
Highly polished crystal glass cellar, stone engraved in rich conventional design. Top made of the new Aero Metal. Very costly, but the only metal known to science that positively won't corrode. Holds its color. Requires no polishing, always bright, clean, and ready for use.

Don't serve another meal without the Sani-dry-Shake Twins—for salt and pepper.

We have the sale of this wonderful new shaker which we want you to see. Will gladly demonstrate it to you and convince you of its merit. Priced at, pair **\$1.00**



Nine Out of Ten Women Will Tell You Silk Hosiery Will Be Quite Acceptable



For you not only give an acceptable and appreciated gift when you give hosiery, but you are perfectly safe in giving silk hosiery. For what woman is there who has too many pairs of silk stockings, particularly of the ever favored black and white.

You can indulge, too, to whatever extent you desire, for here are silk stockings as low as \$1.25 a pair, and then

rise by gradual stages to \$2.75 a pair, for our finest and heaviest quality silk stockings.

Make a note tomorrow to stop in this store and buy several pairs for Christmas gifts. You will solve the Christmas gift problem quickly, and very satisfactorily.

Ladies' Fibre Silk Hose in black, grey and cor-dovan, special at, pair **85c**
Ladies' Silk Hose, hile tops in a large range of colors at, the pair **\$1.25, \$1.29 and \$2.00**

Ladies' all silk "Kayser" hose specially priced at, pair **\$2.50**

Ladies' Italian silk hose in all colors at, the pair **\$2.50 and \$2.75**

Our Christmas Special For Thursday Morning From 9 to 12

\$5 Ladies Umbrellas \$3.95

These are all in the new short handled styles with loop cord, covered with gloria silk which insures good service. Regular \$5.00 value. For three hours only at **\$3.95**

We will also sell our regular \$3.25 men's umbrellas at the same time for **\$2.50**

Watch for our Friday special.

Gift Gloves are Always Appreciated

LADIES' CHAMOISETTE GLOVES

In black, grey, tan and white with and without stitching at, pair **\$1.00**

French kid gloves in a good selection of styles and colors such as grey, tan, black and white. Splendid values at, pair **\$2.25, \$2.95**

Suede Gloves, these are hard to secure, we have plenty of them in grey and khaki at, pair **\$2.75**

IMPORTANT SALE OF WASHABLE CAPE GLOVES

These are among the well liked kind, colors are khaki, grey, brown, tan, chocolate, white and black, embroidered in self color, black and two tone effects.

\$2.50 Values, pique sewn sale price, per pair **\$1.85**

\$2.75 Values, pique sewn, sale price, per pair **\$2.25**



A brassiere designed for slight figures. Made of lace cloth trimmed with bands of insertion. Lace shoulder straps. Hooks in front.

We have Gossard Brassieres in all sizes, for all figures and a large assortment of each. They range in price up to \$5.00.



Over Fifty New Coats Just Arrived From New York. These Coats Are A Special Purchase Made by Our New York Buyer From A Manufacturer Who Had too Many Coats On Hand and We Bought Them at 25 Per Cent. Less Than Regular So We Pass the Savings On to You

Don't Miss
This Sale

No Coats
On Approval

These Women's Fashionable Coats Show the Value- Giving of this Store



Fashionable women need little urging to make their purchase of a winter coat here.

They have come to learn by that severe test, comparison, that the coats here are in the fashionable mode of the season, made of splendid materials, with superior workmanship, and above all else, have that good-looking appearance that every woman wants, and with all this, there is a distinct saving on every garment purchased.

It is readily admitted that every coat that leaves our ready-to-wear section helps materially in the sale of another, as satisfied customers are bound to tell their friends.

We have divided these coats into three groups and marked them at Regular values from \$37.50 to \$85.00.

29.75 39.75 and 49.75

GROUP NO. 1

37.50 to 50.00 Coats at 29.75

This lot contains splendid warm coats of velour, broadcloth and silvertone, fur trimmed with Hudson seal, kit coney and opossum mostly belted styles with high waist lines. Regular \$37.50 to \$50.00 values, a wonderful bargain at **\$29.75**

GROUP NO. 2

55.00 Coats at 39.75

This group consists of mostly velour coats, fur trimmed with beautiful silk lining. They are skillfully designed and very serviceable. Regular \$55 values, sale price **\$39.75**

GROUP NO. 3

75.00 to 85.00 Coats 49.75

These coats are among the first that have ever come into this store. Materials are Bolivia, Silvertone, crystal cord and velour. Lined with beautiful fancy and striped pussywillow taffeta. Trimmed with Hudson seal, beaver, Nutria and squirrel and self materials. Your choice during this special purchase sale **\$49.75**

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

Gift Things For "Dad"

There's nothing too good for this good old fellow you've known for so many years and the selection of his Xmas gift is one that should come in for a great deal of consideration.

We can say literally that we have 'hundreds of things for Dad' and chief among them is his favorite brand of cigars. We have them in boxes of 25, 50, and 100.

Stewart's Drug Store

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Malcolm Cox who has been home on a two week's furlough left this morning for Camp Bonning, Ga.

H. H. Kanour of Philipsburg, spent yesterday in town transacting business.

Miss Ruth Beightel entertained a few of her friends at her home on North street last night at a bridge party.

A. W. Lee left this morning to

transact business in Philadelphia.

J. C. Tortical from Kewanee, Ill. is spending a few days here in the interest of Ryan Plumbing & Heating Co.

J. C. Black has returned from a business trip to Cherry Tree.

Mrs. A. M. Liveright has returned home from a visit in Washington and Philadelphia.

W. R. Ward, of Pittsburgh is transacting business here.

Tom Reynolds left today for New York and Philadelphia.

Fey Brown of Curwensville, was shopping in our stores yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Howe Williams, (nee Marjorie Cole) at the home of her sister Mrs. George Williams, in Chicago, Ill., a boy baby.

Dave Fleck left this morning for State College to resume his studies after spending his vacation here.

Mrs. Fred Lee is visiting her sister in Johnstown.

Mrs. G. M. Clute was shopping in our stores today.

Mrs. Earl Shirey has returned from visiting with friends in DuBois.

R. Sweney of Curwensville, spent the day with friends here.

F. F. Davis left today for Pittsburgh to attend to business.

Mrs. Ernest Ioberson spent the day at the home of her sisters Mrs. Livingston and Mrs. Charles Oberdick.

Mrs. Hartwick Peters of Grampian spent yesterday here with friends.

Miss Marie Voichet, who attends St. Joseph Academy at Titusville, spent last evening with her aunt Mrs. Annie Lugnot enroute to her home in Coudery.

Mrs. R. D. Swoope of Curwensville spent the day here with friends.

E. W. Hess left this morning for

Pittsburgh, being summoned to attend U. S. court as a witness in the Punxsutawney Water company case.

POSTMASTER EXAMINATION FOR MADERA POST OFFICE

At the request of the Postmaster General the United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Philipsburg, Pa. on January 15, 1919 for the position of postmaster at Madera. This office has an annual compensation of \$1100.

To be eligible for this examination an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must actually reside within the delivery of the office and have so resided at the time the present vacancy occurred.

Applicants must have reached their

twenty-first but not their sixty-fifth birthday on the date of the examination.

Application form 306 and full information concerning the requirements of the examination may be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the Civil Service commission, Washington, D. C. Applications should be properly executed and filed with the commission at Washington, D. C., in time to arrange for the examination of the applicant.

MRS. DAVID WHALING DEAD

Mrs. David Whaling died at her home in the Third Ward last evening aged about 32 years. She was a sufferer which caused other complications and death was the result.

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WHAT THE "DRY" BILL MEANS IN COLD CASH

Enactment into law of the "bone dry" bill has brought to the fore of public attention the vast amount involved in the liquor industries of the city, State and Nation. Following are figures based on the latest reports, in some instances the figures going back to 1917, because in 1918 Congress compelled a curtailment of distilling and brewing:

In round figures, the properties and stocks of the brewing industry in the United States are valued at almost \$800,000,000.

There are 1,200 breweries in the country, of which 41 are in New York City. The 1,200 employ 75,000. The 41 New York City plants embrace 5,000 employees.

There are now 6,777 saloons in this city, with about 30,000 employees.

The property values of New York breweries and saloons are estimated by the New York State Brewers' Association at \$300,000,000.

In the last fiscal year the liquor traffic of the country returned \$440,000,000 to the Federal Government in revenue taxes.

According to the Distillers' Securities Corporation there are in the country 85,000,000 gallons of whiskey in bond. Retailers hold 15,000,000 gallons. Wholesalers have 5,000,000 gallons for "spot" delivery. Normal consumption was 140,000,000 gallons a year.

Importation of distilled liquors for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, amounted to 3,115,483 gallons.

Production of beer in that period was 60,729,509 barrels.

WORTHY OF THEIR HIRE!

Roger Ascham, in "The Schoolmaster," said a long time ago that men were far readier to spend money on the training of their horses than on the teaching of their children. It did not require the mass-meeting to tell us that the pay of the teachers of Philadelphia and Pennsylvania is, shamefully inadequate. We have prated much about the inspiring privilege of molding young minds, and so shaping the destiny of this country for all future days. But it would be more to the point if we made up our minds that, instead of appointing a lot of worthless political hangers-on to a lot of worthless but lucrative jobs, we would do the square thing by the army of honest and faithful employees of the school system. They are worth any number of the ringers and heelers of the gang. They are far more deserving of reward than those who sit at the top of the pyramid of profitable contracts and the corruption of bossism, twiddling their thumbs at the public and sneering, "Well, what do you propose to do about it?"

The hour has struck to secure equity for those who, as matters stand at present, are the victims (often the helpless and inarticulate victims) of a gross injustice. The effort will not end with the formulation of protests and resolutions. It will go to the springs of action and the fountain-head of authority in the Legislature to bring about the change for which the circumstances are crying aloud.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

DID THE SAME THING IN THIS WAR

Pennsylvania sent into the service in the course of the Civil War 368,323 soldiers.

The population of the State in 1860 was 2,936,115.

The proportion of enrolled soldiers to the population was as 1 to 7.92. Pennsylvania, therefore sent to the war a higher proportion of her population than New York, where the figures were 1 to 8.45.

THE PATRIOTIC CHRISTMAS GIFT

War Savings Stamps furnish the Government money necessary now to keep our Armies in Germany and to bring them back safely.

As an investment they are absolutely safe.

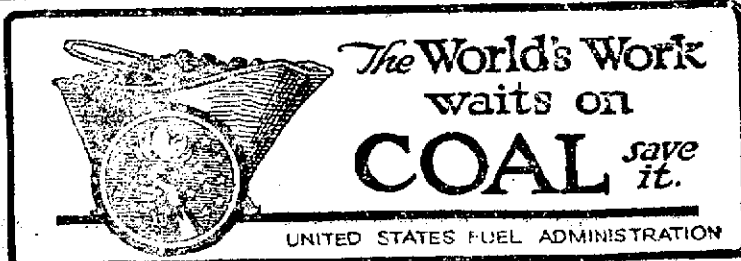
As Christmas Gifts to your loved ones they are most appropriate.

This Christmas, give the patriotic gift, WAR SAVINGS STAMPS. They cost \$4.25 each.

The County National Bank

OF CLEARFIELD

The Oldest Bank in Clearfield County



ECONOMY IMPERATIVE FOR HARD COAL USERS SINCE INFLUENZA CUT DOWN ANTHRACITE SUPPLY

United States Fuel Administration Urges All Possible Conservation of Coal on Hand and General Use of Buckwheat Size and Wood.

The United States Fuel Administration calls upon all users of anthracite coal for the utmost conservation of coal this winter.

Where a hundred per cent. supply had been anticipated for every user of hard coal as a domestic fuel, a grave slump in production because of the effects of the influenza epidemic has made it apparent that the most extreme economy, coupled with the use of all available substitutes, will be necessary to prevent discomfort to a large number of householders.

Householders in the Middle West, hitherto accustomed to the use of anthracite coal, were placed on reduced allotments of hard coal this winter in order that the northeastern section of the country might have its customary full supply.

With distribution facilitated through the working of the zone system, the amount of hard coal available appeared to be more than ample for requirements. The anthracite miners had maintained a steady level of production during summer and fall months which seemed to provide a conservative basis for estimates.

A tremendous slump in production followed the sweep of the influenza epidemic, however. Hundreds of miners fell ill from the disease, and of those who recovered few were able to reach their former efficiency within several weeks.

The "tons mined" figures, after a slight upward trend from the worst of the "flu" effects, fell again when the miners joined hands with the rest of the country in the two celebrations of the signing of the armistice.

Between the two causes, the total anthracite production figures received

a blow which will require the most extreme efforts of all available anthracite miners to remedy. Even before the signing of the armistice the Fuel Administration was obtaining the full amount of anthracite miners from the army to as great an extent as possible in order to meet the situation.

Few consumers have sufficient anthracite coal to last them through the entire winter. If you are one of those fortunate it is incumbent upon you to make the supply in your cellar go as many months as possible in order that less well supplied households will not have to do without.

Aside from the most extreme economy in the use of domestic sizes of anthracite coal, the Fuel Administration urges the following measures:

The use of No. 1 Buckwheat coal to supplement the larger sizes. (Buckwheat size cannot be used alone.)

The use of wood to as great an extent as possible.

The sifting of ashes to reclaim the considerable amount of half-burned or entirely unburned coal falling through grates.

Weather stripping of doors and windows so that less fuel will be required for heating.

"Cut-a-Cord" Clubs Give Winter Days Zest, Make Happy Evenings

Likewise Save Coal and Money, U. S. Food Administration Shows, in Urging All Possible Use of Wood Fuel.

Who would not rather spend an evening before a snapping wood fire in an open grate or fireplace than before a drowsy coal fire?

And who could ask a better excuse for a winter holiday than to go into the woods and get the echoes ringing and the chips flying by felling trees for such firewood?

These are the two chief appeals in the campaign now being launched by the United States Fuel Administration to bring about a considerable use of wood to replace coal in states where domestic fuel is scarce. Of course, if you cut wood you do not have to buy coal and if you have wood piled up you will not worry over a coal shortage, such as is possible through the "flu" having cut down the production of anthracite coal.

New England, in particular, has much wood available within easy reach of large centers of population. The "Cut-a-Cord" Club of Belmont, six miles from Boston, was one of many similar organizations which proved co-belligerents for wholesome days of outdoor sport and happy social evenings.

The Forestry Service will cooperate with the Fuel Administration, through state administrators, this winter in locating available supplies of standing timber and seeing that trees more valuable for other purposes will not be felled for firewood.

If there is not a "Cut-a-Cord" club in your community, why not organize one?

Here are some woodmen's proverbs from the Forestry Service:

A cord of hardwood has a fuel value equal to two-thirds of a ton of hard coal.

Stumps should be cut as low as possible to avoid waste and save future trouble.

All wood large enough to be made into stove wood should be used. Split wood small enough so that one man can load it on a wagon.

Pine should be split smaller than hardwood so that it may dry out quickly. Hardwood burns fairly well even when green.

In cutting original growth forests, utilize old trees which are not fit for lumber.

Cut small trees of the poorer species. Cut all dead, diseased, and decayed, and otherwise inferior material.

The wood for will be the better for the removal of old trees which have stopped making growth, and of scarred trees and stunted growths.

Leave trees that are more valuable for lumber, ties, or other salable products than they are for cordwood.

Leave your thimble trees of the better species below 10 inches in diameter for the future crop.

Pile wood so that air can circulate freely through the pile.

USE OF BUCKWHEAT COAL WILL HELP RELIEVE ANTHRACITE SHORTAGE

United States Fuel Administration Urges Liberal Use of Smaller Size of Hard Coal, Which Cost Consumer Less.

As a most effective means of supplementing the supply of regular domestic sizes of anthracite coal, the United States Fuel Administration recommends the use of the No. 1 size of Buckwheat anthracite. Buckwheat size is fairly plentiful, while regular sizes are scarce, and the ordinary furnace will burn either size of fuel with 25 per cent. Buckwheat and 75 per cent. larger sizes.

It is important that it also be used with wood.

Here are some tips worked out by heating experts for the use of Buckwheat fuel:

If there is a good fire, put large coal on first and then add a top dressing of No. 1 Buckwheat.

If the fire is small, add a small amount of Buckwheat first and, after a few minutes, add the large coal and then the top dressing of Buckwheat.

If the furnace has not had sufficient draft to produce satisfactory results, the fire should be used with only a few inches of Buckwheat.

The use of Buckwheat coal will help to conserve the anthracite supply and will also save the consumer money.

BUY U. S. S. AND THRIFT STAMPS TODAY AND

WELCOME HOME

By Charles Driscoll
You have done the job up brown.
And your little old home town
Is waiting with its arms flung open wide,
And the town and all therein
We will give you with a grin,
Our boys, by heroism glorified!

There's a corner in our heart
Set forevermore apart
For the boys who faced the Hun at Belleau Wood.
Who like old Gibraltar's rock
Against the foe's terrific shock,
Before the gates of Paris nobly stood!

Welcome home, crusaders bold!
Tell the story, never old.
How you turned the tide of battle Over There;
And although we cannot tell
How our hearts within us swell,
You may guess it by the way we stand and stare!

NAVY COST IS SHOWN

Washington, Dec. 11.—Four hundred per cent. increase in expenditures for the fiscal year just past, as compared to the fiscal year 1916, are cited by Rear Admiral Taylor, chief naval constructor in his annual report today as a concrete illustration of his bureau's war work.

About \$157,500,000 was expended. Taylor presented estimates of \$158,985,000 for "increase of navy" for the fiscal year 1920 under his department. This covers continuance of work on vessels already authorized by congress.

His report showed vast work done on destroyers, naval aircraft, and other naval craft during the last year.

THREE MORE ILLEGAL DEER

Three doe deer illegally killed in the Mosquito creek or "Big Knob" country were brought to Clearfield last evening on the River line New York Central train.

Two of the illegal deer were consigned to the Clearfield hospital and the third one went to the Children's Home.

The deer were shipped to Clearfield by State Game Protectors Lewis and Dale and it is hoped that the guilty hunters were made to settle for their law-breaking in each case.

Butcher Walter Fargo prepared the carcasses for the institutions to which they were consigned.

CROOKED RUN GOT TWO BUCKS

The Crooked Run boys had two fine bucks hanging at their camp Saturday evening as trophies of last week's hunt.

The View Point hunters pulled one over one fine big spike buck in the red brush immediately back of the camp yesterday afternoon.

Demand of the Ontario "farmers" for the next season will include the nine-hour day, an increase of the hour rate to 20 cents, a minimum of \$1 for rainy days, and time and a half for over-time.

Twenty thousand French girls sang "The Star-Spangled Banner" in Brest while that French city was riotously celebrating the signing of the armistice.

Save anthracite.
Save anthracite. Clean it out and use it.
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Rubbers! Rubbers!

For Men, Women and Children

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Ill health is often traceable to wet feet, and there never was a time when one needed greater protection than now. Good rubbers give you protection and if bought here now you are also assured of another important protection—against imperfect rubbers.

You may be able to buy rubbers at a lower price than you will pay for them here. But you're getting a cheaper rubber—just as much difference between first and second grade rubbers as between day and night.

We have shapes for all lasts of shoes, and the various heel heights for high, medium and low heels.

Another thing—were just as particular in rubber fitting as we are in fitting shoes.

Lytle Bros.

Market St. Opposite Court House, Clearfield, Pa.

GREAT PLAY "MOTHER" A DRIGGS TONIGHT

Perhaps no greater production from a dramatic point of view has ever been seen in Clearfield than William A. Brady's glorious success Mother which the Manhattan players will produce tonight with Miss Winnie Wimer in the splendid role originated by no less an artist than Miss Emma Dunn. Mother is the sort of play that recalls the happiest times in human experience. It is filled with reference to those innumerable tokens of love and affection we all have known. At great expense manager Paul Hillis has secured the rights to present the play for the first time at popular prices at Driggs theatre tonight. New vaudeville will be seen between the acts. Tomorrow night the Manhattan players will appear in the newest comedy, by the companion play to Peg O' My Heart entitled Pretty Peggy O'Moore. In this play little Pearly Young, Glenn Coulter and their associates will be at their very best. Tonight and tomorrow night are full of genuine treats for the patrons of Clearfield's perfect playhouse.

NOTICE

Mrs. K. Barger will close out her entire stock of millinery at cost consisting of trimmed and untrimmed hats, feathers, flowers and other trimmings. A lot of untrimmed frames at a dollar. D11-3t

NOTICE

The Salvation Army is as usual making arrangements to give out Christmas hampers and clothing to those in need. If you are in need or know of anyone that is please write or see Captain E. J. Perkins, Box 404 or 108 Turnpike avenue. All applications should be in as soon as possible. B41f

NO. 1 FIRE COMPANY MEETING TONIGHT

The regular meeting of Clearfield Fire company No. 1 will be held in their hall on Market street at 8 o'clock this evening. Election of officers and a smoker will be the program. All members should attend.

S. B. SMITH, Secretary

I saw it in The Progress.

Years of Experience Plus Reliable Insurance
Helmhold & Stewart
Hager Block

Typewriter Bargain

A new Model Ten Remington Standard typewriter with all the modern improvements, that has been used only a few months, for sale at a special price if taken at once.

This is the only time this ad will appear so if you want the machine here or white NOW to

HARRY E. MANN
Clearfield, Pa.

\$4600.00

WANTED

[Statement of Business and Work Done

By CLEARFIELD HOSPITAL for year ending May 31, 1918

Average number of patients daily	62
Average cost per patient per day	\$2.74
Total Expenses for year	\$45,260.02
Total Receipts from all sources including Donations	42,000.75

Balance Deficit	\$3,259.27
Balance shown May 31, 1918	1,955.00

Balance still short \$1,304.27
The deficit for the year ending May 31st, 1918, will be approximately the same as last year, viz—about \$2290.00.

To keep the Hospital running in good shape the Board of Directors are therefore asking the people of this community to contribute the sum of \$4600.00. This sum will also provide for some necessary improvements.

A. B. REED,
A. W. BIGLER,
Deficit Committee.

LEONARDSON'S

A Genuine Surprise Sale of Women's New Winter Coats

At 25 Per Cent. Less Than
Regular---Thursday, Friday
And Saturday

SPECIAL NOTICE New Store Hours During the Holidays

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 14th, this store will open at 8:30 A. M. and close at 6 P. M. every evening except Saturday. Close Saturday at 9 P. M.
Kindly do your Christmas shopping early and do it in the morning.

Sani-Dry-Shake FOR SALT and PEPPER

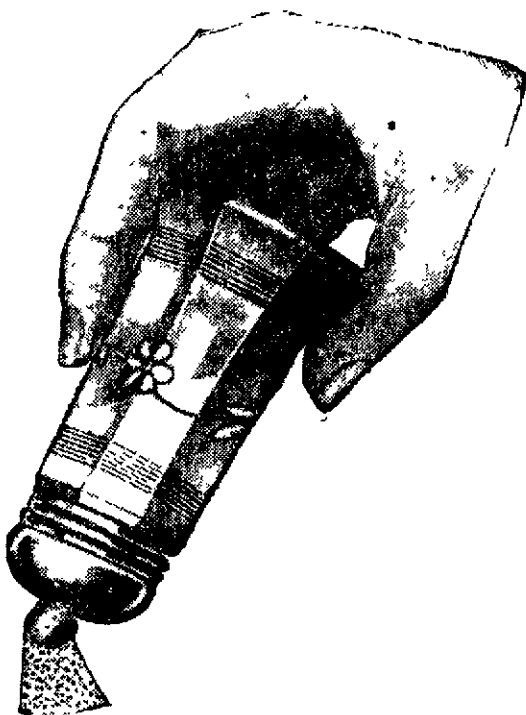
That little button keeps pure salt clean, dry and free sifting in damp weather. Does away with adulterated, tasteless, high-priced salt. Avoids vexation and waste. Opens only when inverted. Automatic. Always closed when not in actual use. Prevents clogging.

A THING OF BEAUTY AND A JOY FOREVER

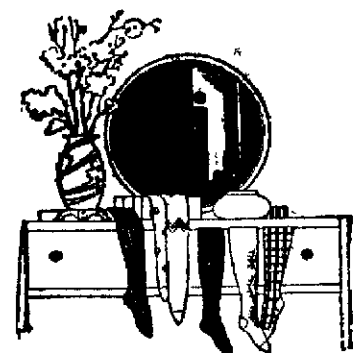
Highly polished crystal glass cellar, stone engraved in rich conventional design. Top made of the new Aero Metal. Very costly, but the only metal known to science that positively won't corrode. Holds its color. Requires no polishing, always bright, clean, and ready for use.

Don't serve another meal without the Sani-dry-Shake Twins—for salt and pepper.

We have the sale of this wonderful new shaker which we want you to see. Will gladly demonstrate it to you and convince you of its merit. Priced at, pair **\$1.00**



Nine Out of Ten Women Will Tell You Silk Hosiery Will Be Quite Acceptable



For you not only give an acceptable and appreciated gift when you give hosiery, but you are perfectly safe in giving silk hosiery. For what woman is there who has too many pairs of silk stockings, particularly of the ever favored black and white.

You can indulge, too, to whatever extent you desire, for here are silk stockings as low as \$1.25 a pair, and then

rise by gradual stages to \$2.75 a pair, for our finest and heaviest quality silk stockings.

Make a note tomorrow to stop in this store and buy several pairs for Christmas gifts. You will solve the Christmas gift problem quickly, and very satisfactorily.

Ladies' Fibre Silk Hose in black, grey and cor-dovan, special at, pair **85c**
Ladies' Silk Hose, hse tops in a large range of colors at, the pair **\$1.25, \$1.29 and \$2.00**

Ladies' all silk "Kayser" hose specially priced at, pair **\$2.50**
Ladies' Italian silk hose in all colors at, the pair **\$2.50 and \$2.75**

Our Christmas Special For Thursday Morning From 9 to 12

\$5 Ladies Umbrellas \$3.95

These are all in the new short handled styles with loop cord, covered with gloria silk which insures good service. Regular \$5.00 value. For three hours only at **\$3.95**

We will also sell our regular \$3.25 men's umbrellas at the same time for **\$2.50**

Watch for our Friday special.

Gift Gloves are Always Appreciated

LADIES' CHAMOISETTE GLOVES

In black, grey, tan and white with and without stitching at, pair **\$1.00**

French kid gloves in a good selection of styles and colors such as grey, tan, black and white. **\$2.25, \$2.95**
Splendid values at, pair

Suede Gloves, these are hard to secure, we have plenty of them in grey and khaki at, pair **\$2.75**

IMPORTANT SALE OF WASHABLE CAPE GLOVES

These are among the well liked kind, colors are khaki, grey, brown, tan, chocolate, white and black, embroidered in self color, black and two tone effects.

\$2.50 Values, pique sewn sale price, per pair **\$1.85**

\$2.75 Values, pique sewn, sale price, per pair **\$2.25**



A brassiere designed for slight figures. Made of lace cloth trimmed with bands of insertion. Lace shoulder straps. Hooks in front.

We have Gos and Brassieres in all sizes, for all figures and a large assortment of each. They range in price up to \$5.00.



Over Fifty New Coats Just Arrived From New York. These Coats Are A Special Purchase Made by Our New York Buyer From A Manufacturer Who Had too Many Coats On Hand and We Bought Them at 25 Per Cent. Less Than Regular So We Pass the Savings On to You

Don't Miss
This Sale

No Coats
On Approval

These Women's Fashionable Coats Show the Value- Giving of this Store



Fashionable women need little urging to make their purchase of a winter coat here.

They have come to learn by that severe test, comparison, that the coats here are in the fashionable mode of the season, made of splendid materials, with superior workmanship, and above all else, have that good-looking appearance that every woman wants, and with all this, there is a distinct saving on every garment purchased.

It is readily admitted that every coat that leaves our ready-to-wear section helps materially in the sale of another, as satisfied customers are bound to tell their friends.

We have divided these coats into three groups and marked them at Regular values from \$37.50 to \$85.00.

29.75 39.75 and 49.75

GROUP NO. 1

37.50 to 50.00 Coats at 29.75

This lot contains splendid warm coats of velour, broadcloth and silvertone, fur trimmed with Hudson seal, kit coney and opossum mostly belted styles with high waist lines. **\$29.75**
Regular \$37.50 to \$50.00 values, a wonderful bargain at

GROUP NO. 2

55.00 Coats at 39.75

This group consists of mostly velour coats, fur trimmed with beautiful silk lining. They are skillfully designed and very serviceable. Regular \$55 values, sale price **\$39.75**

GROUP NO. 3

75.00 to 85.00 Coats 49.75

These coats are among the first that have ever come into this store. Materials are Bolivia, Silvertone, crystal cord and velour. Lined with beautiful fancy and striped pussywillow taffeta. Trimmed with Hudson seal, beaver, Nutria and squirrel and self materials. Your choice during this special purchase sale **\$49.75**

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

Gift Things For "Dad"

There's nothing too good for this good old fellow you've known for so many years and the selection of his Xmas gift is one that should come in for a great deal of consideration.

We can say literally that we have 'hundreds of things for Dad' and chief among them is his favorite brand of cigars. We have them in boxes of 25, 50, and 100.

Stewart's Drug Store

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Macdonald Cox who has been home on a two weeks furlough left to morning for Camp Blanding, Ga.

H. H. Kanour of Philadelphia, Pa. yesterday a few interesting business

Mrs. Ruth Beightler of the city a few of her friends at the home of North street.

A. W. Lee left the city for

contact business in Philadelphia

J. C. To test from Kewanee, Ill.

spending a few days here in the city of Ryan Plumbing & Heating Co.

J. C. Black has returned from business trip to Cherry Tree

Mrs. A. M. Laveright has returned one from a visit in Washington

Thompson

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Mrs. Fred Lee is visiting her sister in Johnstown

Mrs. G. M. Clute was shopping in our store today

Mrs. Earl Shirey has returned from visiting with friends in DuBois

R. Sweeney of Curwensville, spent the day with friends here.

F. F. Davis left today for Pittsburgh to attend to business

Mrs. Ernest Liberson spent the day at the home of her sister, Mrs. Livingston and Mrs. Charles Oberdick

Mr. Hartman of Peters of Grampian spent yesterday at home with friends

Mrs. M. C. Voinchet who attends

St. Mary's at Titusville

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E. W. Hess left this morning for Pittsburgh, being summoned to attend U. S. court as a witness in the Punxsutawney Water company case.

POSTMASTER EXAMINATION FOR MADERA POST OFFICE

At the request of the Postmaster, General the United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Philipsburg, Pa. on January 15, 1919 for the position of postmaster at Madera. This office has an annual compensation of \$1100.

To be eligible for the examination an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must actually reside at the place of the office and have so resided at the time the present vacancy occurred.

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Applicants must have reached their twenty-first but not their sixty-fifth birthday on the date of the examination

Application form \$0.50 and full information concerning the requirements of the examination may be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the Civil Service commission, Washington, D. C. Applications should be properly executed and filed with the commission at Washington, D. C., in time to arrange for the examination of the applicant.

MRS. DAVID WHALING DEAD

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